

## FRENCHY GETS DELAY

The Accused Ripper Waives Further Examination.

To Be Indicted Next Week For the East River Hotel Murder.

Police Chain of Circumstantial Evidence Not Yet Complete.

Following upon the verdict of the coroner's jury in the East River Hotel tragedy, as announced in THE EVENING WORLD'S Sporting Extra last night, Amerie Jean Ali, or "Frenchy," who the coroner's jury held responsible for the death of the young woman, was to have been arraigned for examination before Justice Martine this morning.

Lawyer Friend, Frenchy's counsel, appeared in Part II of the General Sessions at 11 o'clock this morning, and on his client's behalf asked permission to waive further examination.

"When assigned to this case," said Lawyer Friend, "the counsel for the defense asked for an examination which your Honor set down for to-day."

"Since then, however, we have been through a coroner's inquest, and the jury, in its verdict, has seen fit to hold our client or the Grand Jury."

"In order to expedite matters, and that the matter may be at once brought to the Grand Jury's attention, I ask permission to waive further examination."

Justice Martine acquiesced and sent for the papers in the case to be read.

Amerie Jean Ali's case will be presented to the Grand Jury on Monday, when most of the witnesses at the coroner's inquest, who are still detained at the House of Detention, will again be examined.

So far the evidence produced by the police has been purely circumstantial, but Assistant District-Attorney Wetmore is confident that it will secure Ben Ali's conviction.

There is little reason to doubt that an indictment will be found by the Grand Jury early next week, and it is believed that an early trial of the accused Algerian will follow.

It is said that the Chief Inspector of Police has remarked that on the trial there will be evidence introduced that is not circumstantial.

A careful sifting of the evidence produced at the inquest shows that there is apparent need of more positive and direct evidence.

The first day's proceedings were devoted almost entirely to the bloodstains found on the top floor of the East River Hotel, but no positive connection was established between the pools of blood in room 31, the spots in the hall and those on the door, woodwork, floor, bed tick and chair of room 33.

Neither were the police able positively to prove the age of the blood stains on the wall of room 31, and the positive assertions made several weeks ago by Dr. Dixon were greatly modified by him on the witness stand.

The prosecution's strongest point was the attempt to identify the knife found by old "Shakespeare's" dead body as Frenchy's, and opinion is divided as to its weight.

Certain it is that not one of the three prisoner witnesses from the Queens County Jail were able to swear positively that the deadly knife was the very same that they had seen Frenchy use in the jail, but the most positive of the three declared that "it was very like it."

One important point was not even touched by the police—the unaccountable disappearance of the man who accompanied old Shakespeare to room 31, and with whom she was last seen alive.

This feature was severely let alone, and yet it was naturally seen to be of the utmost importance.

Lawyer Levy, Friend & House were more confident than ever this morning that Frenchy could not be convicted, said Lawyer Friend:

"They have proven absolutely nothing, and even most of the evidence they now have will be thrown out as illegal before a trial day."

"On the trial, too, we shall be allowed to show the character of their witnesses and attack their veracity."

## HARRISON'S HOMEWARD TRIP.

The President Sleeps Through Pittsburgh and Speaks at Altoona.

(OFFICIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 15.—The Presidential train arrived here at 6:30 o'clock this morning. All its passengers were asleep.

During the early hour of arrival and the short stop to be made, very few people were at the station.

The cars were inspected, the engine changed, the refrigerator car restocked with edibles and at 6:40 the train departed.

J. R. McKee, Mr. Harrison's son-in-law, joined the party here.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will give the President an elaborate banquet on the train between Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 15.—The Presidential train reached here on time this morning, and was greeted by a large throng gathered at the depot.

In response to his hearty welcome, the President spoke briefly, referring eloquently to his affection for the State of Pennsylvania as the birthplace and home of his mother.

He also spoke of the pleasure felt by himself and the party of his dear son-in-law, McKee, and of the good fortune that had attended the entire trip.

## MARY EGNER'S PITIFUL TALE.

Evidence as to Her Sanity Which May Save Her Life.

Her Case Will Probably Be Given to the Jury To-Day.

At the opening of the Kings County Court of Sessions in Brooklyn this morning the courtroom was packed to the doors with a crowd drawn either to attend the last day of the trial of Mary Egner, the eighteen-year-old German blonde, who is charged with murdering her babe.

All the testimony is in for the defense except that of one witness, unless the prosecution should decide to call witnesses in rebuttal. The story told by the girl has evidently made a deep impression on the jury.

While on the stand yesterday she detailed all she could remember about her early life. Her father was unknown to her, and when she was but a year old her mother married a man named Egner. The girl was brought up by her grandmother, and when fourteen years old was put out to service in a family in Stuttgart.

While thus employed, she said, the young son of her employer, on Easter Sunday morning, 1880, entered her room, at 1 o'clock in the morning, and putting a handkerchief in her mouth while she cried, committed an assault upon her.

Some time later she left and returned to her mother, and then discovered that she was pregnant. She was abused and reviled by her parents, and the only friend she had was her old grandmother.

In August she was given \$20, and shipped to Havre, and she then came to America. Coming down to the day of the tragedy, she said she was unconscious when the child was born. After she regained consciousness, she saw the baby on the floor and put it into the cradle.

Counselor Werberg, the girl's lawyer, relies on the testimony of several experts, who declared that in their opinion the girl was insane when the tragedy occurred.

Dr. Jarvis B. White was the first witness this morning.

A hypothetical question embracing all the points in the case was put to the witness, and he testified that the girl was sane, assuming all the facts were true, the girl was sane when the child was born and afterwards killed.

"The girl was insane," replied Dr. White. "There is no doubt about it, and under the conditions embraced in the hypothetical question, it is extremely doubtful whether the child was born."

Cross-examined by Mr. Clarke, the witness declared insanity in its various forms, dwelling particularly on the condition known as delusional insanity. "A person suffering from this form of mental trouble might be crazy on one subject and perfectly sane on others," said the doctor.

The case will probably go to the jury this afternoon.

## FOREIGN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Dynamite in Paris—Rumors of Wild Anarchist Schemes.

(DUBLIN CABLE NEWS SPECIAL.) PARIS, May 15.—There is great activity among the police of this city, and special vigilance is being exercised, intelligence having reached the officials that the Anarchists contemplate another dynamite outrage within a few days similar to that perpetrated in the Rue de Bercy on May Day.

Detectives have discovered that dynamite cartridges of great quantity have recently been sent from the mining centers to several districts of this city and the suburbs.

Wales's Influenza Over, Mr. Gladstone's Fever Further Abated.

(DUBLIN CABLE NEWS SPECIAL.) LONDON, May 15.—The daily bulletin regarding President Russell's illness is favorable. The Prince of Wales's influenza has proved to be of the lightest, and he is now able to go about and fulfil his numerous engagements.

Mr. Gladstone passed a restless night; when he awoke this morning it was found that the fever had further abated.

The condition of William Aylmer Cecil, Marquis of Exeter, who is suffering from an attack of acute bronchitis, is critical. The Marquis was born in 1825.

Resignation of All or Part of the Portuguese Cabinet Expected.

(LISBON CABLE NEWS SPECIAL.) LISBON, May 15.—It is expected that the existing financial troubles in Portugal will result in the resignation of the whole or certain members of the Cabinet.

Senator Cavalho is spoken of as the new Minister of Finance.

E. Dwyer Gray Denies that He Has Deserted Mr. Parnell.

(DUBLIN CABLE NEWS SPECIAL.) DUBLIN, May 15.—The Freeman's Journal publishes a telegram from E. Dwyer Gray to the National Press, demanding a retraction of the report published yesterday that he has deserted from the Parnell cause.

He declares that his position is exactly the same as it was at the beginning of the trouble, and that instead of deserting Mr. Parnell, he is making a plan for the reconnoissance of the factions in the Irish party, which he believes was very near a successful result, but is now frustrated by the rumors of his desertion of Mr. Parnell.

Ben Tillett, the Labor Advocate, Hit from Nervous Prostration.

(LONDON CABLE NEWS SPECIAL.) LONDON, May 15.—Ben Tillett, the well-known workingman's advocate, a member of the new Labor Commission, and General Secretary of the Dockers' Union, is lying seriously ill from nervous prostration at Cardiff.

An Interesting Event to the House of Marlborough.

(LONDON CABLE NEWS SPECIAL.) LONDON, May 15.—The Duchess of Marlborough gave birth to a girl baby to-day.

Charged With Stealing His Stock.

Newsboy John Feeley, twelve years old, was held in \$100 for trial at the Tombs Court on the charge of stealing \$100 evening paper from two city newspapers in City Hall Park last evening.

## HERRICH BROS.



Will offer in their Misses' & Children's DEPARTMENT Tremendous Reductions.

Having purchased from a large manufacturer his entire stock of MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S JACKETS AND REEFERS, we shall place them on sale to-morrow at less than FIFTY CENTS on the dollar, as follows:

100 Children's All-Wool Reefers, open bound seams, Sailor and Roll Collar, ages 4 to 12 years, worth \$5.75, at 2.98.

100 Children's All-Wool Scotch Cheviot Reefers in Plaid and Plain Cloths, Trimmed with Gold Braid and Handsome Buttons, 4 to 12 years, actual value \$7.50, at 3.98.

500 Children's Scotch Plain Gingham Dresses with Lawn Tucked Vest, Full Sleeves and Wide Sashes, age 4 to 8 years, at \$1.98.

age 10 to 14 years, \$2.75; Worth from \$4.00 to \$6.00.

SIXTH AVE. & 23D ST.

WHO MURDERED MRS. CARSON

Her Husband Is Looked Up by the Jersey City Police.

Another murder in Jersey City is engrossing the attention of the police on the river.

Capt. Farrier, of the First Precinct, said this morning to an EVENING WORLD reporter that he believed he had secured evidence sufficient to convict the guilty man. He has in custody William Carson, better known as Carson, who was formally charged before Justice O'Donnell in the police court this morning with the murder of his wife, Bridget.

Mrs. Mary Kerrigan, sister of the murdered woman and wife of William Kerrigan, was also present as a witness. She was recommended for examination to-morrow.

The tragedy occurred at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the home of the Carsons, on the top floor of the four-story tenement-house, 161 Steuben street.

The tenement-house is known to the police as "Bunchman's Place," and it has long had a reputation for growing among its inmates.

The Carsons have lived there for nearly a year, during which period the husband, who is a longshoreman when he works, got to be known as a quarrelsome fellow, addicted to beating his wife when in his cups.

Last Saturday Kerrigan and his wife and two children arrived at the Carsons' tenement, with the intention of spending a couple of weeks. The Kerrigans live at Suffern, Rockland County, N. Y., where Kerrigan is employed as a laborer. Carson was indebted when the Kerrigans reached his house, and made no secret of his dislike of the invasion.

Several tin buckets full of beer were, however, consumed by the party, and this seemed to wash away his animosity, and the two families seemed to settle down to a continued drinking life, with semi-occasional variations in the way of boisterous language.

The climax came shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Terrifying shrieks of "murder!" in the Carson apartments roused the lethargic tenants on the lower floors.

Patriot Dwyer, a young laboring man living with his mother on the floor just beneath the Carson tenement, was standing in the hallway off the front door when Carson staggered down stairs, blood pouring in streams from a fearful gash in his head.

"My wife's throat is cut," said Carson to Dwyer, "and I want you to go to the station-house with me."

Dwyer replied, "I don't want to go with you, Bill, because I don't want to get mixed up in any row."

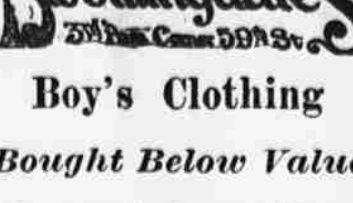
Policeman Tom Kelly was on the opposite side of the street, and hurried across. He went upstairs to the top floor, and found Mrs. Carson crying on the door with a great gash on the left side of her throat, extending from under the chin to the left ear.

She was rapidly losing consciousness, and could scarcely speak.

Stretched out in a drunken stupor alongside Mrs. Carson lay her sister, Mrs. Kerrigan.

Kerrigan reported to Capt. Farrier that he had been looking for Carson, and that he had seen him on the street. He replied, and Kelly said a Mrs. Johnson, who keeps a baker-shop on the ground floor of the dwell-

## HERRICH BROS.



Boy's Clothing Bought Below Value

On account of recent big upheavals in the clothing trade we have been able to buy thousands of dollars' worth of boys' fine clothing away below value. On Saturday we will inaugurate a special sale of many of these lots as follows:

1,000 Suits bought below value, worth \$1.98, will be sold at... 1.79

500 Suits bought below value, worth \$3.50, will be sold at... 3.98

475 Suits, bought below value, made with double seams, lined fronts, taped seams, worth \$6.98; will be sold at... 4.98

1,000 pairs Pure Finish Corduroy Pants, bought below value, will be sold at... 89c.

840 Blue Sailor Blouse Suits, bought below value, will be sold at... 93c.

275 Jersey Suits, bought below value; worth \$4, will be sold at... 2.98

A large line of 2 piece Suits for boys, 13 and 14 years, at

HALF VALUE.

Bloomington Bros., Third Ave. cor. 59th St.

ing, heard it, was that her husband slashed her with a knife.

The policeman placed Carson under arrest, and handed him over to a brother officer. An ambulance was called and Mrs. Carson was removed to the City Hospital.

City Physician Gray had attended the sufferer in the mean time, and sewed up the frightful wound in her throat, but Mrs. Carson died on the way to the hospital and the body was taken to Spier's Morgue.

Mrs. Kerrigan was locked up, and then a search was made for her husband. Capt. Farrier said this morning that he had no trace of him as yet, but added that from what he had learned he did not think Kerrigan was in the room when the tragedy occurred.

The puzzling features of the affair are these: If Carson killed his wife, why should he persist in going for the police? If Kerrigan's innocent, why did he run away?

The doctors say it was a knife which opened the fatal gash in Mrs. Carson's throat. The police have not found any knife as yet, and if it was Carson's knife he would be likely to have it with him, or it would be in the room.

Kerrigan's children are in the keeping of Overeuler of the Poor John Society, and it is likely they will become charges on the county for some time.

Capt. Farrier hopes to capture Kerrigan before night, but insists that he wants him only as a witness. Perhaps when caught Kerrigan may not so easily explain his hurried departure so soon after the bloody traces.

OVERCOMING MISFORTUNE.

A Bass Singer Who Was Not Upset by a Trifle.

Out in one of the suburban towns, the other evening, a local aggregation of talent gave a pretentious musical entertainment.

All the townsfolk were present, either as participants or spectators, says the Chicago Post.

One of the soloists, who is a gentleman well known in business circles in Chicago, has an especially good bass voice, and he struck the chord of sympathy with his turn for a solo was approaching the audience began to fidget with impatience.

Presently the time arrived. A hush fell over the house and the soloist began to sing. The accompaniment struck the chord a third time. Mr. Soloist looked at his watch and said: "Now you'll have a treat. He has the loveliest voice."

The prelude was finished and the accompaniment struck the chord a fourth time. Mr. Soloist looked at his watch and said: "Now you'll have a treat. He has the loveliest voice."

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## STEIN BROS.



Special Sale of BOYS' Imported SAILOR SUITS,

of white English Drill, handsomely trimmed and embroidered, 4 to 10 yr. sizes, at

\$3.95; Real value, \$6.50.

SCHOOL SUITS,

of all-wool Scotch Tweeds and Cassimeres, 4 to 15 yr. sizes, at

\$3.25 & \$4.98;

Heretofore \$6.00 to \$7.75.

West 23d St.

Our Good Neighbors.

We might as well be plain about the thing. We are doing a LARGER CLOTHING BUSINESS THAN ANY THREE HOUSES COMBINED who are taking so much pains to criticize our sale of COATS AT SIX DOLLARS, PANTS AT THREE DOLLARS AND VESTS AT ONE DOLLAR. It is all very well for OUR GOOD NEIGHBORS to say that in consequence of A CONSERVATIVE REPUTATION OF FIFTY YEARS' standing we ought to "DIGNIFY THE TRADE" by following in the footsteps of our grandfathers. We are, IN FACT, doing nothing of the kind, but are simply selling a FEW HUNDRED SUPERB ALL-WOOL TWENTY-DOLLAR SUITS AT TEN DOLLARS because we find this is THE QUICKEST WAY to attract public attention to OUR IMMENSE GENERAL SPRING STOCK. Even if we were not advertising these MANUFACTURED ALL-OWN CLOTHING, RETAIL AT WHOLESALE PRICES, and then exempt our customers from INTERMEDIATE PROFITS, which is a SAVING TO THEM OF NEVER LESS THAN TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT! We are thus enabled to GUARANTEE THAT IF ANY GARMENT WE SELL PROVES TO BE OTHERWISE THAN EXACTLY AS REPRESENTED WE WILL REFUND THE MONEY. All the townfolk were present, either as participants or spectators, says the Chicago Post.

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The prelude was finished and the accompaniment struck the chord a twenty-second time. Mr. Soloist looked at his watch and said: "Now you'll have a treat. He has the loveliest voice."

## Saturday Attractions



Bargain Tables

Fine Challies, . . . . . 08 1/2 cts Ladies' Hosiery, 12 1/2 cts pair Ladies' Ribbed Vests 15 cts ea Books, by popular authors 15 cts

Men's Unbleached Half Hose, 18 cts per pair China Silks, (figured), .25 cts Linen Towels, ex. large 25 cts Triple Extract Perfume 25 cts English Challies, . . . . . 28 cts Boys' Knee Pants, . . . . . 38 cts Brilliantines, (colored), 38 cts Smyrna Mats, . . . . . 39 cts Nottingham Lace

Curtains, 45 cts per pair Drapery Net, (45 ins. wide) 59 cts per yd Mantel Lambrequins, 69 cts ea.

Alligator Bags imitation 75 cts Cashmere Shawls colored 98 cts

Boys' Sailor Suits, . . . . \$1.00 Ladies' Jackets, . . . . \$1.50 Cashmere Shawls, black \$1.50 All Chenille Portieres \$3.00 pair

Irish Point Lace Curtains, \$3 60 per pair

Lord & Taylor, Grand Street Store.

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